

# SIKKIM



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### NOTIFICATION

The following Act passed by the Sikkim Legislative Assembly and having received assent of the Governor on 25<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2022 is hereby published for general information :-

THE SIKKIM OFFICIAL LANGUAGES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2022  
(ACT No. 16 of 2022)

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further to amend the Sikkim Official Languages Act, 1977 (5 of 1977).

**Be** it enacted by the Legislature of Sikkim in the Seventy-third Year of the Republic of India as follows :-

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| <b>Short title, extent and commencement</b> | 1. (1) This Act may be called the Sikkim Official Languages (Amendment) Act, 2022.<br>(2) It shall extend to the whole of Sikkim.<br>(3) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may by notification in the Official Gazette appoint. |
| <b>Amendment of section 2</b>               | 2. In the Sikkim Official Languages Act, 1977, in the long title, the preamble and section 2, after the words "the Sunuwar" the words "the Bhujel" shall be inserted.   |

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